



September 2022 – All Events are FREE and open to the public.

Please help us to stay safe, healthy and open by continuing to follow all health guidelines and library policies.

The library will be CLOSED Saturday 9/3 through Monday 9/5 and Friday, 9/9. No physical items are due and no physical holds expire when the library is closed. You may use any LCLC book drop for returns. Have a safe & happy holiday!

Adult Events

Daytime Book Group.** Tues. Sept. 6 @ 2 PM.

Join us to discuss *All In* by Billie Jean King. Some copies available to borrow of the front desk when you RSVP.

Mobile Office Hours with Sen. Susan Wild's Office.

Thurs. Sept. 8, 1-4PM. A representative from

Congresswoman Susan Wild's office will be available for mobile office hours to answer questions, address concerns, and provide other constituent services. No appointment is required. You can reach her local office in Allentown at 484-781-6000.

Art @ EPL: Mosaics.** Sat. Sept. 10 @ 11 AM. Join Lisa Fraenkel, local artist, for a workshop on mosaics. The workshop is aimed at artists and aspiring artists with beginning and intermediate skills ages 16+. The class will be held outdoors so please bring bug spray and wear attire appropriate for the elements. Limit to 15 attendees. Please RSVP to Eventbrite: <https://mosaic-workshop.eventbrite.com>

Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group.** Tues. Sept. 13 @ 10:30 AM. Presented by Alzheimer's Association Delaware Valley Chapter and hosted by Devon House Senior Living, and facilitated by Laura Crossan, CDP. Register at 610-967-1100 or email lcrossan@devonhouseseniorliving.com. Visit www.alz.org/delval to learn more about caregiver programs and resources.

Creative Writing Group.** Tues. Sept. 20 @ 1 PM. Join us for an in-person creative writing group with Pat Johnson, a long-time creative writer. The group welcomes those who want to write creatively for fun and/or publication. All are welcome.

Find Your Ancestors.** Weds. Sept. 21 @ 5 PM. Sign up in advance for a 30-minute appointment with Chris to get in-person assistance uncovering your family tree and insight using Ancestry.com.

Memoir Writing Group.** Tues. Sept. 27 @ 1 PM. Join author Jerry Waxler and others on a ZOOM videoconference to write about your life.

*Please remember to follow all safety guidelines and post and tag only what you feel comfortable sharing online. Tag us @emmauspl and use #FallatEPL and #craftyatEPL for a chance to be featured on our pages and newsletter. Find us on Facebook, Pinterest and Instagram or email your photos and videos to emmauspl@cliu.org

**** Please send Adult Event RSVPs to Lauri by email to epcollection@cliu.org or call 610-965-9284 and send Kids & Teens Event RSVPs to Miss Sue by email to eplkids@cliu.org.

Family, Kid & Teen Events

National Library Card Sign-Up Month & Raffle Contest. All September long, earn raffle tickets toward your choice of prizes by completing activities at or near the library. Ask at the desk for more info. Tickets must be entered by 5 p.m. Friday, Sept. 30. Winners will be announced Monday, Oct. 3.

Facebook Writing Prompts. Thurs. Sept. 1 @ 7 PM. Join us on Facebook for a new prompt every 15 minutes – write about each one or save them for later, share your work or keep it private. The choices are yours in this all-ages event.

First Friday Scavenger Hunt. Fri. Sept. 2. Hunt on your own or with a team to find 5 clues around the library for a small prize.

Crochet Club. Wednesdays @ 6 PM. Drop in for our weekly crocheting club! All skill levels are encouraged to join in. Bring your current crochet project or get started with advice from more experienced crochet-ers. No need to RSVP.

Teen Writers Group.** Thurs. Sept. 8 @ 6 PM. Join Miss Sue to write from new prompts and talk about the process of writing – reading aloud not required!

Teen Anime Group. Thurs. Sept. 15 @ 6 PM. Anime films and OAVs for the discerning teens!

National Draw a Penguin Day. Sat. Sept. 17. Join us all day in the children's wing to create your own or color in one of Miss Sue's Penguins!

Julie Bell Storytime. Sat. Sept. 17 @ 2 PM. Join artist Julie Bell for a special storytime featuring her new book for elementary aged readers & their families.

International Talk like a Pirate Day. Mon. Sept. 19. Occurring each year, this is a day when everyone in the world should talk like a pirate. An observer of this holiday would greet friends not with "Hello, everyone!" but with "Ahoy, maties!" or "Ahoy, me hearties!"

Books 'n' Barks. Thurs. Sept. 22 @ 6:30 PM. Books 'n' Barks is back! Read to the Lehigh Valley Therapy Dogs – no registration needed – bring your own books or choose one from the library.

Coloring Club. Mon. Sept. 26 @ 6:30 PM. Explore your creative side, reduce stress, and color with the library! We will provide coloring sheets, markers, and pencils or you can bring your own. Everyone is welcome.